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REQUEST FOR FILING CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d)

This is a request for filing a **continuation** application under Rule 53 (37 CFR § 1.53(d)) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/207,649, filed on December 8, 1998, entitled "METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING FACTORS THAT CONTROL THE FOLDING OF AMYLOID PROTEINS OF DIVERSE ORIGIN."

The above-identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application.

1. Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.

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	3.	This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior							
	•	applica	ation, 37 (C.F.R. § 1.	.53(d)(4).				
		(a)	DELET	E the fo	llowing invent	or(s) name	d in the prior n	nonprovisional	
			applicati	on:					
		(b)	(b) The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.						
	4.	A new Power of Attorney is enclosed.							
	5.	An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed.							
		(a)	PTO-14	49.					
		(b)	Copies o	of IDS cita	tions.				
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	(c) Small entity status is no longer claimed.
8.	If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R.
	§§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or
	should an overpayment be included herein, the Assistant Commissioner is
	authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit
	Account No. 50-1212/10008013/01985.
9.	The Assistant Commissioner is requested to grant Applicants a filing date in
	accordance with Rule 1.53, and supply Applicants with a Notice of Missing Parts in
	due course, in accordance with the provisions of Rule 1.53(f).
10.	Priority of application Serial No. 60/069,168 filed on December 9, 1997 and Serial
	No. 60/084,824 filed on May 5, 1998 in the country of United States of America is
	claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
11.	Address all future communications to:
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It is understood that secrecy under 35 U.S.C. § 122 is hereby waived to the extent that if information or access is available to any one of the applications in the file jacket of a 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) application, be it either this application or a prior application in the same file jacket, the

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Respectfully submitted,

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